(Amended) The device of claim 4, wherein said liquid level gauge is disposed on said front fact of said incubator.

3. (Amended) The device of claim 4, wherein said scale is disposed on a front face of said incubator.

8. (Amended) The device of claim 4, wherein said liquid level gauge is visible when said Incubator is closed.

14. (Amended) A mechanical fluid level monitoring device comprising:

means for monitoring a level of fluid

means for adjusting the level of said fluid; and

means for mounting the fluid level monitoring device into a front face of an incubator, wherein said monitoring device is mounted flush with said front face and wherein said incubator is a water jacket incubator.

liquid level gauge.

12. (Amended) The device of claim 14, wherein said monitoring means is a mechanical

13. (Amended) The device of claim 14, further comprising: means for measuring a liquid level of said incubator.



16. (Amended) The device of claim 14, wherein said adjusting means includes a fill hole and a drain lock disposed on said incubator.

17. (Amended) The device of claim 14, wherein said means for monitoring includes a visible sight opening window disposed on said front face of the incubator.

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20. (Amended) A method of mechanically monitoring a fluid level in an incubator environment comprising:

visibly monitoring a liquid level in said incubator by visibly measuring a maximum and a minimum liquid level of said incubator;

adjusting said liquid level in said incubator, wherein said incubator is a water jacket neubator.

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21. (Amended) The method of claim 20, wherein said measuring set includes] viewing a scale mounted flush on a front face of the incubator.